

RUSSIANS LAY WASTE COUNTRY AS THEY FLEE

(By Associated Press.)
LONDON, Aug. 14.--King Leopold's progress to the eastward of Warsaw indicates that the Germans are massing for a continuation of the enveloping effort to the north along the Dvina. The Germans occupy a position half way to Brestlitovsk, which Czar Nicholas hoped would be made a new center of defense. It likely will be abandoned. German correspondents with the invading army report that the Russians are following Napoleonic tactics, laying waste the country as they flee.

ATTACK ON CANAL PLOT APPEAL SENT BY AMERICA TO MEXICANS IN WAITING FOR ZAPATA

(By Associated Press.)
PARIS, Aug. 14.--The Minister of Marine reports the thwarting of a plan to attack the Suez canal. A French cruiser is said to be destroying the ammunition shops of Wagner at Jaffa, where special boats are building for the canal attack.

GERMANY SENDS PICKED ARMY TO THE FRONTIER OF SERBIA

American Consul at Riga Takes Over British Interests There Before Evacuation

(By Associated Press.)
WASHINGTON, Aug. 14.--The American consul at Riga has taken over British interests there, according to an unexplained report from Ambassador Marye from Petrograd.

(By Associated Press.)
AMSTERDAM, Aug. 14.--Germany is reported to be preparing for eventualities in the Balkans, and is said to be transporting 40,000 troops to the Serbian frontier.

(By Associated Press.)
BERLIN, Aug. 14.--General Mackensen, pursuing the Russians, has cleared the road from Redzyn to Wladyslaw, the Germans have announced.

RUSS HYDROPLANES BOMBARD WARSHIPS

Germans Have Nine Ships of Line and Twelve Cruisers Drawn Up in Battle Formation

(By Associated Press.)
PETROGRAD, Aug. 14.--A belated report of the recent naval action on the Gulf of Riga shows that the Germans had nine ships of the line and twelve cruisers drawn up in battle formation, preceded by a fleet of

trawlers sweeping the mines. Russian hydroplanes bombed the ships. Two of the German torpedo boats were damaged by mines.

(By Associated Press.)
LONDON, Aug. 14.--The steamer Princess Caroline, from Glasgow, was sunk and four of the crew drowned when the work of a German submarine.

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TONOPAH POLICE CHIEF IS COMING FOR MINER

Chief of Police Evans will be up from Tonopah this evening. He will take back with him Pete Basovich, arrested last night by Chief of Police Hillhouse on telegraphic information. The telegram from the nature of the charge against Basovich. He was arrested when he stepped from train No. 23 last night. He held a ticket for San Francisco. He is a miner-Gazette.

THIRTEEN ASK PARDON

Thirteen convicts from Humboldt county, serving terms in the state prison ranging from two years to life, will make application to the state board of pardons for clemency at the September meeting. Among the number is Nimrod Urie, who was convicted of the murder of Eugene Quillet in April, 1911.

FUNSTON SAYS THE BORDER IS PACIFIC

OUTLAW BAND DRIVEN TO MEXICO

GENERAL REPORTS THAT THERE ARE NO SERIOUS DEVELOPMENTS ON FRONTIER

(By Associated Press.)
WASHINGTON, Aug. 14.--General Funston thus summarizes the situation: "Nothing serious has occurred on the border for two days. The principal band of outlaws has been driven back into Mexico. It is established that the invaders were mostly officers and soldiers of the Carranza forces, who were acting without authority of their chiefs. They were joined on this side by a score of Texas Mexicans, well armed and mounted. They made raids extending as far as Norias."

GENERAL FUNSTON MAKES HIS REPORT

RECOMMENDS THAT A BATTERY OF ARTILLERY AND AN AEROPLANE BE SENT TO SCENE

(By Associated Press.)
SAN ANTONIO, Texas, Aug. 14.--General Funston told a committee of citizens this morning that he would recommend that a battery of artillery and an aeroplane be sent to Brownsville.

SHOULD NURSES IN KHAKE BE SALUTED

TOMMY ATKINS ATTEMPTS TO SOLVE A VERY VEXING PROBLEM

(By Associated Press.)
LONDON, Aug. 14.--Should a woman be saluted in military fashion when she wears a khaki uniform with shoulder straps, is a question that is causing the soldiers some worry. A large proportion of men do salute, most of them in the belief that the rank, even if in the hospital service, is entitled to such honor. But it now develops that there are no regulations covering the case, and the salute is largely a matter of gallantry.

The Women's Volunteer Reserve and the Women's Reserve Ambulance, whose members wear khaki, say this color was chosen not from a desire to imitate the army but because it defies dirt. The women neither expect nor want the salute. However, they find that the uniform, shoulder straps and discipline add to their efficiency. The nurses in France wear khaki, and they are saluted by courtesy in recognition of their services. French and Belgian officers in particular are quick to offer them this tribute.

NEW PLASTER COMPANY

Articles were filed today in the secretary of state's office incorporating the Selenite Plaster company of Las Vegas, Nevada, with a capital stock of \$250,000 and 250,000 shares of a par value of \$1 each. Appeal.

APPEAL SENT BY AMERICA TO MEXICANS

Text to be Published Tomorrow

PASSES THE BUCK

SOUTHERN REPUBLIC GIVEN TEN DAYS TO RESTORE PEACE IN TERRITORY OR SUFFER FROM INTERVENTION

(By Associated Press.)
WASHINGTON, AUG. 14.--THE APPEAL OF AMERICA TO MEXICANS WAS SENT TODAY AND WILL BE PUBLISHED TOMORROW. IT PRECEDES TEN DAYS OF WAITING TO SEE IF MEXICO DEVELOPS LEADERS CAPABLE OF RESTORING THE SOVEREIGNTY OF A CONSTITUTIONAL GOVERNMENT WITHOUT OUTSIDE AID.

DESTITUTION REPORTED AT PORT AU PRINCE

(By Associated Press.)
WASHINGTON, Aug. 14.--Commander Caperton reports suffering among the poor at Port au Prince. Some families have had no food for days. Resumption of public work will provide some employment but there appears to be no help for the women and children without means of subsistence.

CROP OF BANANAS IS TOTALLY DESTROYED

THREE LIVES LOST IN TERRIFIC STORM THAT OCCURS AT JAMAICA

(By Associated Press.)
KINGSTON, Jamaica, Aug. 14.--Three lives were lost and many buildings demolished in a severe Jamaican storm which swept through here last night. A section of the coast railroad is destroyed and the banana crop on the north coast is totally ruined.

JAPAN IS NATION OF STAMMERING TONGUES

(By Associated Press.)
TOKIO, AUG. 14.--There are over 700,000 stammerers in Japan, according to Shuji Izawa, a member of the house of peers and organizer of an educational institution for the correction of stammering. He has been making a close study of this subject in the United States and at the request of the Japanese authorities proposes to make a lecture tour in Japan, especially in the northern provinces, where pronunciation is particularly defective.

DEPUTY SHERIFF EXONERATED

Because Deputy Sheriff Hunter of Lovelock shot and killed an unmuzzled dog about two weeks ago, the owner of the animal preferred charges against the officer and he was hauled before Justice of the Peace Hood, who dismissed the case summarily when he learned the particulars.

MADE HIS STAKE IN 32 YEARS

After spending 32 years roaming all over Nevada, following the lure of the yellow metal, James Barron has finally packed his blankets and started back to his home and family at Ellsworth, Me., having recently disposed of a mine in Churchill county for \$25,000.

IN WAITING FOR ZAPATA

(By Associated Press.)
BROWNSVILLE, Aug. 14.--A full force of soldiers and rangers to quell the Mexican raids have reached their assignments, giving to the lower Rio Grande valley the appearance of a war zone. Laredo reports that eighty Mexicans under General Cabrera have appeared between Zapata and Rio Grande City. A detachment of the fourteenth cavalry is awaiting Zapata to attack.

MEXICAN PROVINCES REFUSE TO RECOGNIZE AUTHORITIES

Neither Villa Nor Carranza Are in Right in Six Divisions of Warring Mexico

(By Associated Press.)
EL PASO, Aug. 14.--The military commanders of the states of Sinaloa, Tepic, Chihuahua, Oaxaca, Guerrero and Durango have refused to recognize the authority of either Villa or Carranza, according to advices received today.

MEXICAN COMMANDERS SAY WAR IS OVER

SOLDIERS HAVE BEEN ORDERED TO RETURN AND TILL THE FIELDS

(By Associated Press.)
EL PASO, Aug. 14.--Mexican commanders say the war is over, and that the soldiers have been commanded to return to their planting and harvesting.

BUSHEL OF JEWELS FOUND ON EASTLAND

(By Associated Press.)
CHICAGO, Aug. 14.--Three bushels of jewels, purses and personal pieces were picked up on the upper decks of the Eastland, which was raised for search today.

TWO LINERS SOLD FOR THE PANAMA TRADE

(By Associated Press.)
SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 14.--The liners Siberian and Korea, which were sold to an Atlantic company, will remain in service on the Pacific, running from here to New York, to Manchuria, China, and other points. The Mongolia has also been sold and will be used in the Atlantic trade, it was announced today.

WANTED IN CALIFORNIA

Requisition papers were issued out of the governor's office today for the return of Hiram Keith to San Francisco, where he is charged with the crime of grand larceny, having stolen a Stevens-Duryea automobile of the value of \$2000 on the 31st day of July. He is under arrest in Reno and Officer Thomas F. Burke of the San Francisco police department will take him back to stand trial for the crime charged. Appeal.

ENFORCING DAIRY CLEANLINESS

H. Gordinhaus was brought before Justice Yancy yesterday on complaint of State Dairy Inspector J. S. Canham. The offense charged was in having unwashed milk cans on hand. A plea of guilty was made and a \$1 fine imposed. Inyo Register.

RETURNS WITH MURDERER

Deputy Sheriff Lamson and District Attorney Caville returned early this morning from White Rock, having in custody Willie Nicholson, who is accused of the killing of John H. Hogan, better known as "One Round" Hogan. Independent.

WAR MATERIAL FOR GENERAL CARRANZA IS HALTED

Collector of Port at Los Angeles Refuses to Let Steamer Have Clearance

(By Associated Press.)
LOS ANGELES, Aug. 14.--War material, believed to be consigned to Carranza west coast forces, was halted here by Collector Elliott, who refused to let the steamer Prince Albert clear for Mazatlan. The vessel carried 300,000 cartridges and many cases of rifles. The treasury department ordered the detention of the Mazatlan, which was finally allowed to depart after unloading the rifles and cartridges.

NOBLE WORK DONE BY FRENCH RED CROSS

OVER ONE THOUSAND HOSPITALS HAVE BEEN ESTABLISHED BY THE SOCIETY

(By Associated Press.)
PARIS, AUG. 14.--The "Societe de Secours aux Blesses Militaires," the most important of the three societies that compose the French Red Cross, has spent about \$430,000 per month during the first year of the war up to July 1. The other two societies have spent together about \$300,000 per month, which at the end of the first year will make a total of about \$900,000 to which should be added more than a million dollars in gifts of supplies from different countries, bringing the total expenditure by the French Red Cross for the care of wounded soldiers to more than \$850,000 per month.

With this money the Red Cross has established over a thousand hospitals containing more than a hundred thousand beds, a hundred infirmaries, sixty canteens in railroad stations and one hundred and thirty relief posts near the front; in this work about 18,000 trained nurses and 15,000 auxiliary nurses have been employed. Of these five were killed in the bombardment of Rheims and eleven have succumbed to the contagious diseases contracted while caring for soldiers in hospitals. One nurse has been decorated with the legion of honor, thirty have been cited in the orders of the day and twenty-three have been accorded the epidemic medal.

BUTLER THEATER

Better Pictures Exclusive Features

TONIGHT
Lionel Barrymore in

"Seats of the Mighty"
(A World-Frohmman production)

TOMORROW

Paramount Travel Pictures--1 reel
"The Goddess"--2 reels
"Who Pays"--3 reels

One Matinee, 1:30

Two Night Shows--7:15 and 9:45

Admission 10 and 15 cents